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He then left his seat and came on to the platform in full view of the convention. The tumultuous cheering that greeted him marks one of the most curious incidents of a National Convention in our time. Mr. Reed is not a delegate nor an agent to this convention. He has announced that he favors the nomination of Mr. Blaine. It is well known that his views are most hostile to the President. Nearly two years ago he coaxed his calls at the White House. So the Harrisonites are inclined to put a significant construction upon his action. In relation to Mr. Reed, the conservative opinion was that it was merely the outburst of a spontaneous enthusiasm for the man who rode rough shod over the Democrats when he wrenched the Speaker's gavel.

Mr. Reed's voice was hoarse. He looks like a great deal of honor and glory in his expression, and when he started at the speech the Maine delegation gave him a final hurrah. While Senator Platt believes that the convention will be ready to ballot on Thursday, others are inclined to the opinion that the meeting will not be reached before Friday, and that the indications are that the convention will run into next week. The Harrison men on the other hand believe that they will do their work. They fear the tactics of their trained opponents and they are making every effort to break into the convention. Immediately after the convention adjourned the anti-Harrison men got to work on the delegates. They will bring every pressure to bear upon them. They declare that the convention should not be run by Federal officeholders.

NEW YORK'S HARRISON MEN.

Twenty-nine of them met and resolved to stand by the President.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 7.—The event of the night was the meeting of New York delegates at the rooms of Chauncey M. Dewey. Twenty-nine delegates were present, all of whom pledged themselves to vote for President Harrison's re-nomination against all candidates.

Chauncey M. Dewey presided, and made a vigorous address in favor of Harrison. Senator Hisecock and others spoke. A number of telegrams, twenty or more, were read to the gathering, urging the delegates to vote for and support Gen. Harrison on the ground that his nomination would be for the best interest of the party. Committees were appointed to visit other state delegates and present the reasons why twenty-nine delegates from New York urge the re-nomination of President Harrison. Besides those present at the meeting, it was said that more delegates would vote for the President and that eight would vote for Blaine.

The delegates present were: Frank Hisecock, Chauncey M. Dewey, Robert A. Sharkey, Charles A. Moore, Thos. B. Wells, J. Ross A. Hays, Joseph D. Campbell, George H. Joy, J. D. Lawson, Horace Foster, James A. Patterson, S. V. K. Smith, J. J. Sullivan, Henry O'Brien, Edmund S. Goodale, James S. Sherman, J. Lansing Waters, William B. Cogswell, Julius T. Felt, William B. Cogswell, H. Parsons, and Willis H. Howe.

Ex-Senator Platt gave a glowing address at the list of New York delegates. He said that he had pledged himself to a meeting held to-night to support Harrison. He said that he had not been individually interested in the matter, and for that reason has not been included in this canvass. The total number of votes in contest is about thirty-two.

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WORK OF THE COMMITTEES.

Appointment of Sub-Committees on Resolutions—The Credentials Committee.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 7.—The Committee on Resolutions met immediately after the adjournment, and elected J. J. Sullivan, of Ohio, Chairman and George W. Thompson of Minnesota, Secretary. A sub-committee of nine was appointed to consider resolutions and report on them. Mr. Cannon of Illinois was anxious to know whether this committee was to have the platform and report to the full committee. If so, he wanted some sub-committee appointed instead. Mr. Gear of Iowa moved that the Chair appoint a sub-committee of five each on tariff, silver, the race question, and other matters.

Some one suggested "The election question" for the race question. The resolutions were also proposed and accepted. The subject for consideration by a sub-committee. The Niagara Canal was proposed, but the proposition did not meet with favor. The committee after a few minutes' session took a recess.

Afternoon Session of the Committee on Resolutions.

Tariff—W. H. Oliver of Pennsylvania, J. H. Gear of Iowa, J. Bourne, Jr., of Oregon, D. B. Pierce of New Hampshire, and George Denny, Jr., of Kentucky.

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ing Washington for the Convention, was of the opinion that his distinguished colleague from the Hawkeye State would be the most available man upon whom to consolidate differences of opinion. Editor Thurston quite enthusiastically of the prospects of the two to the fore, and said that an extensive business was being done by Senator Higgins and several coadjutors on missionary lines. Mr. Thompson was of the opinion that the indications to-day seemed to point to the nomination of a third man, a result which he anticipated with great pleasure.

"Both sides," he said, "are willing, from what I hear to-day, to accept a compromise candidate, offers having been made, as reported to me, looking to the selection of one."

Another editor, Frank Hutton of the Washington Post, who was Postmaster-General in President Harrison's cabinet, and who is equally well known for his opposition to President Harrison and Mr. Blaine, is the champion of another dark-horse movement. Mr. Hutton seems to be willing to take anybody who will tend to the nomination of a third man, and he is now talking for Sherman, but to-day is quoted as having transferred his affection to Mr. Blaine.

"Whatever course has been attempted to carry the election," he said, "I have done it. It is more than any of the other sons of the Republic. I understand, he said, that there is a sentiment in his favor in the country, and he is willing to accept the possibility. He is a clean man, an able man, and every Republican in the country would be proud to have him for a candidate."

A reporter met Mr. Hutton on the street after the adjournment of the convention to-day, and asked him for the facts of his opposition to Harrison and Blaine about 375 each, and asked him if he stood by that statement still.

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MASS MEETING IN CONVENTION HALL.

A Big Crowd Approves John Thurston's Exposition of the Convention.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 7.—Dripping skies and snowy streets did not keep the old veterans and Republican visitors to Minneapolis from crowding the great Convention hall to overflowing at the mass meeting to-night. Possibly curiosity about the hall and its decorations, as the American love for scenery brought the delegates, it braved very unpleasant conditions. For two hours the rain had been pouring down heavily, almost without intermission, and at 7:30 o'clock there was a steady downpour, but every man running in the direction of the convention building was filled with jostling crowds. A little side street leading to the Exposition building, Passage was possible only along the narrow sidewalks, and they were jammed with a good-natured crowd, moving along at the rate of about an inch a minute in the direction of the entrances to the Convention hall.

Although the restricted approaches made the crowd slow in assembling, the doorkeepers at the chief entrances had all they could do in guiding the ticket holders to their seats. The arrangements in the hall were exactly what they were for the convention. The decorations were still fresh and bright, and even the big bunch of lilacs near the speaker's platform was as pretty as it looked when Chairman Fassett's ax fell at 12:30 this afternoon.

The seats which are reserved for the delegates and their friends were set apart to-night for the members of the Union Veterans' League. The local committee of the League distributed tickets for these seats, and the Convention usher had charge of the aisles and seated the delegates and their friends in the front row of the delegates' seats.

An interesting figure in the front row of the delegates' seats was that of "Old Shady," Gen. Sherman's old regiment. There were other veterans, but chiefly the rank and file of the Union Veterans' League. They were seated in the front row of the delegates' seats.

The audience had not all assembled at 8:30 o'clock when the Hon. John M. Thurston of Nebraska appeared on the platform. Efforts had been made to excite the delegates and their friends to the platform, but the crowd was so large that it was impossible to do so.

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would fight the nomination of Fassett for temporary Chairman with Senator Cullum as his own candidate for that office, and that the latter had been chosen temporary Chairman by acclamation and without a ballot.

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